

after the word "birds" in the fifth (5th) line of said section, the following words, "or of wild turkey, duck, goose or brant".

SEC. 2. **Ducks excepted.** Amend section twenty-five hundred and fifty-two (2552) of chapter fifteen (15) of the code, by inserting after the word "birds" in the seventh (7th) line of said section the following words "except ducks".

SEC. 3. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Register and Leader, and Des Moines Daily Capital, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 15, A. D. 1904.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Daily Capital, March 16, 1904, and the Register and Leader, March 17, 1904.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 96.

PROTECTION OF LIVE BIRDS.

H. F. 60.

AN ACT for the protection of live birds, and providing penalties for the violation thereof. [Additional to chapter fifteen (15) of title twelve (XII) of the code, relating to fish, birds and game.]

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. **Using birds as targets—penalty.** Any person who keeps or uses a live pigeon, fowl or other bird for the purpose of a target or to be shot at either for amusement or as a test of skill in marksmanship, or shoots at a bird kept or used as aforesaid, or is a party to such shooting, or leases any building, room, field or premises, or knowingly permits the use thereof, for the purpose of such shooting, shall upon conviction thereof be fined not less than ten dollars nor more than one hundred dollars or imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding thirty days. Nothing in this act shall apply to the shooting of wild game.

Approved March 7, A. D. 1904.

CHAPTER 97.

MEETINGS OF STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

H. F. 111.

AN ACT to amend section twenty-five hundred and sixty-four (2564), of the code relating to the meetings of the state board of health.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. **Meetings—when held.** That section twenty-five hundred and sixty-four (2564), of the code be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the word "May" in the lines nine (9) and twelve (12) in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "July", and by striking out the word "November" in line ten (10) in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "January".

SEC. 2. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register-Leader and Daily Capital, newspapers published in the city of Des Moines.

Approved March 24, A. D. 1904.